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                    Protection of mice from LPS-induced shock by CD14
                    antisense oligonucleotide.
AUTHOR:
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Namba M; Mochizuki H

CORPORATE SOURCE: Research Center, Mochida Pharmaceutical Co., Ltd., Shizuoka

412-8524, Japan.

SOURCE: ACTA MEDICA OKAYAMA, (2001 Apr) 55 (2) 105-15.

Journal code: 0417611. ISSN: 0386-300X.

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AR CD14 is a pattern recognition receptor on myeloid cells and plays a pivotal role in an innate immune system that is responsible for Gram-negative and Gram-positive bacteria infection. Lipopolysaccharide (LPS), a cell wall component of Gram-negative bacteria, can induce production of a large quantity of proinflammatory cytokines into the circulation mediated by CD14-mediated macrophages and monocytes. These cytokines eventually cause septic shock. Several in vitro and in vivo studies have shown that suppression of a CD14 function by a CD14 antibody led to an inhibition of the production of proinflammatory cytokines such as TNF-alpha, IL-1 beta, and IL-8. In the present study, we found that CD14 antisense oligonucleotide (ODN) can prevent lethal LPS shock in D-galactosamine-sensitized mice. This ODN inhibited CD14 expression in a mouse macrophage cell line, RAW264.7, and suppressed production of TNF-alpha in LPS-stimulated RAW264.7 cells. Furthermore, we designed a consensus antisense ODN that could hybridize human and mouse CD14 RNA, and we evaluated its efficacy. The consensus antisense ODN rescued mice primed with Mycobacterium bovis bacillus Calmette-Guerin (BCG) from the LPS-induced lethal shock. In this model, the CD14 antisense ODN down-regulated LPS-elicited CD14 expression in the liver, resulting in a decrease in LPS-induced TNF-alpha production. These findings suggest that the CD14 antisense ODN is distributed in the liver and efficiently suppresses LPS-induced TNF-alpha production by reducing CD14 expression on Kupffer cells. This CD14 antisense ODN may be useful for the development of a therapeutic agent against sepsis and septic shock.

L12 ANSWER 2 OF 48 MEDLINE

ACCESSION NUMBER: 2001413366 MEDLINE

DOCUMENT NUMBER: 21336622 PubMed ID: 11349132

TITLE: P2Y(6) nucleotide receptor medi

P2Y(6) nucleotide receptor mediates monocyte

interleukin-8 production in response to

UDP or lipopolysaccharide.

AUTHOR: Warny M; Aboudola S; Robson S C; Sevigny J; Communi D;

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SOURCE: JOURNAL OF BIOLOGICAL CHEMISTRY, (2001 Jul 13)

276 (28) 26051-6.

Journal code: 2985121R. ISSN: 0021-9258.

PUB. COUNTRY: United States

DOCUMENT TYPE: Journal; Article; (JOURNAL ARTICLE)

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AΒ Extracellular nucleotides are autocrine and paracrine cellular mediators that signal through P2 nucleotide receptors. Monocytic cells express several P2Y receptors but the role of these G protein-coupled receptors in monocytes is not known. Here, we present evidence that P2Y(6) regulates chemokine production and release in monocytes. We find that UDP, a selective P2Y(6) agonist, stimulates interleukin (IL)-8 release in human THP-1 monocytic cells whereas other nucleotides are relatively inactive. P2 receptor antagonists or P2Y(6) antisense oligonucleotides inhibit IL-8 release induced by UDP. Furthermore, UDP specifically activated IL-8 production in astrocytoma 1321N1 cells transfected with human P2Y(6). Since lipopolysaccharide has been suggested to activate P2 receptors via nucleotide release, we tested whether IL-8 production stimulated by lipopolysaccharide might result from P2Y(6) activation. P2 antagonists or apyrase, an enzyme which hydrolyzes nucleotides including UDP, inhibit IL-8 production induced by lipopolysaccharide but not by other stimuli. Furthermore, IL-8 gene expression activated by lipopolysaccharide is enhanced by P2Y(6) overexpression and inhibited by P2Y(6) antisense oligonucleotides. Thus, UDP activates IL-8 production via P2Y(6) in monocytic cells. Furthermore, lipopolysaccharide mediates IL-8 production at least in part by autocrine P2Y(6) activation. These findings indicate a novel role for P2Y(6) in innate immune defenses.

L12 ANSWER 3 OF 48 MEDLINE

ACCESSION NUMBER: 2001017868 MEDLINE

DOCUMENT NUMBER: 20361490 PubMed ID: 10905555

TITLE: Antisense oligomers for selective suppression of

MCP-1 synthesis in human pulmonary endothelial cells.

AUTHOR: Maus U A; Herold S; Schlingensiepen K H; Schlingensiepen R;

Dormayr T; Rosseau S; Maus R; Seeger W; Lohmeyer J

CORPORATE SOURCE: Department of Internal Medicine, Justus-Liebig-University,

Giessen, Germany.

SOURCE: ANTISENSE AND NUCLEIC ACID DRUG DEVELOPMENT, (2000

Jun) 10 (3) 185-93.

Journal code: 9606142. ISSN: 1087-2906.

PUB. COUNTRY: United States

DOCUMENT TYPE: Journal; Article; (JOURNAL ARTICLE)

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AB Endothelial synthesis of the C-C chemokine monocyte chemotactic protein-1 (MCP-1) has been implicated in the regulation of monocyte recruitment for extravascular pools under both physiologic and inflammatory conditions. We designed and characterized five antisense phosphorothicate oligodeoxynucleotides (PS-ODN) targeting MCP-1 secretion by human pulmonary artery endothelial cells (HPAEC) and pulmonary microvascular endothelial cells (HMVEC-L). The most effective PS-ODN (MCP-1 AS 2) dose-dependently suppressed the secretion of MCP-1 but not the secretion of the C-X-C chemokine interleukin-8 (IL-

8) in both HPAEC and HMVEC-L in the nanomolar concentration range. Mismatch controls bearing 2 or 4 bp substitutions showed markedly reduced inhibitory capacity. MCP-1 mRNA levels were not affected even at the highest PS-ODN doses employed (ribonuclease protection assay), suggesting a translational arrest of MCP-1 production. Accordingly, PS-ODN exhibited no nonspecific side effects on immediate-early gene regulation of the

transcription factor nuclear factor-kappaB (NF-kappaB), as analyzed by gel shift assays. Antisense pretreatment of HPAEC reduced the monocyte chemotactic bioactivity liberated from tumor necrosis factor-alpha (TNF-alpha)-activated endothelial cells (EC) and reduced the TNF-alpha-induced transendothelial monocyte migration. We conclude that nanomolar concentrations of specific antisense oligodeoxynucleotides effectively inhibit human endothelial MCP-1 synthesis and may thus provide a rational approach to modulate monocyte recruitment under inflammatory conditions.

L12 ANSWER 4 OF 48 MEDLINE

ACCESSION NUMBER: 2000125662 MEDLINE

DOCUMENT NUMBER: 20125662 PubMed ID: 10657945

TITLE: Thrombin upregulates interleukin-8 in

lung fibroblasts via cleavage of proteolytically activated

receptor-I and protein kinase C-gamma activation.

AUTHOR: Ludwicka-Bradley A; Tourkina E; Suzuki S; Tyson E; Bonner

M; Fenton J W 2nd; Hoffman S; Silver R M

CORPORATE SOURCE: Division of Rheumatology and Immunology, Department of

Medicine, Medical University of South Carolina, Charleston,

South Carolina 29425, USA.

CONTRACT NUMBER: RR1070-1 (NCRR)

SOURCE: AMERICAN JOURNAL OF RESPIRATORY CELL AND MOLECULAR BIOLOGY,

(2000 Feb) 22 (2) 235-43.

Journal code: 8917225. ISSN: 1044-1549.

PUB. COUNTRY: United States

DOCUMENT TYPE: Journal; Article; (JOURNAL ARTICLE)

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Acute and chronic interstitial lung diseases are accompanied by evidence AΒ of inflammation and vascular injury. Thrombin activity in bronchoalveolar lavage fluid from such conditions is often increased, as well as interleukin (IL)-8. We observed that conditioned medium from lung fibroblasts exposed to thrombin has chemotactic activity for polymorphonuclear cells, and that this activity can be abolished by antibody to IL-8. We report that thrombin stimulates expression of IL-8 in human lung fibroblasts on both the messenger RNA and protein levels in a time- and dose-dependent manner. Stimulation of IL-8 expression by thrombin is inhibited by specific thrombin inhibitors. Synthetic thrombin receptor agonist peptide-14 mimics thrombin's stimulation of IL-8 expression in a dose-dependent manner consistent with the idea that upregulation of IL-8 by thrombin in human lung fibroblasts requires cleavage of proteolytically activated receptor-I. We demonstrate further that thrombin-induced IL-8 synthesis is regulated by protein kinase (PK) C. PKC-gamma may be involved in the upregulation of lung fibroblast IL-8 by thrombin because stimulation of lung fibroblasts with thrombin caused significant upregulation of PKC-gamma and because PKC-gamma antisense oligonucleotides inhibited the accumulation of PKC-gamma protein and IL-8 protein. Our data suggest that the PKC-gamma isoform increase observed after thrombin stimulation is required for thrombin-induced IL-8 formation by human lung fibroblasts.

L12 ANSWER 5 OF 48 MEDLINE

ACCESSION NUMBER: 2000120754 MEDLINE

DOCUMENT NUMBER: 20120754 PubMed ID: 10653823

TITLE: Laminar shear stress upregulates the complement-inhibitory

> protein clusterin : a novel potent defense mechanism against complement-induced endothelial cell activation.

AUTHOR: Urbich C; Fritzenwanger M; Zeiher A M; Dimmeler S

CORPORATE SOURCE: Molecular Cardiology, Department of Internal Medicine IV,

University of Frankfurt, Germany.

SOURCE: CIRCULATION, (2000 Feb 1) 101 (4) 352-5.

Journal code: 0147763. ISSN: 1524-4539.

PUB. COUNTRY: United States

DOCUMENT TYPE: Journal; Article; (JOURNAL ARTICLE)

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BACKGROUND: The complement system is implicated in the pathogenesis of AΒ atherosclerosis. Complement has been shown to activate endothelial cells (ECs) by inducing a proinflammatory response. Physiological levels of shear stress exert potent antiatherosclerotic effects. Therefore, we investigated whether shear stress antagonizes the effects of complement on ECs. METHODS AND RESULTS: Incubation of ECs with nonlytic concentrations of complement serum (CS: 0.2 U/mL for 6 hours) resulted in an upregulation of interleukin-8 (IL-8)

(165+/-12%) and monocyte chemoattractant protein-1 (MCP-1) mRNA expression (267+/-34%). Preexposure of ECs for 18 hours with laminar shear stress (15 dyne/cm(2)) abrogated CS-induced IL-8 release to

106+/-10% (P<0.001) and reduced CS-induced MCP-1 expression (170+/-31%; P<0.05). To examine the mechanism of the protective effect of shear stress, expression of the complement-inhibitory protein clusterin was analyzed under shear exposure. Shear stress increased clusterin mRNA (225+/-76%, 6 hours) and protein expression (164+/-22%, 18 hours).

Specific inhibition of clusterin by transfection with

antisense oligonucleotides reversed the protective effect of shear stress on CS-induced MCP-1 and IL-8 upregulation (P<0.05 versus sense-transfected cells). Moreover, clusterin overexpression inhibited CS-induced EC activation. CONCLUSIONS: Shear

stress abrogates the complement-induced proinflammatory response of ECs by upregulation of the complement-inhibitory protein clusterin. Upregulation of clusterin may contribute to the potent antiatherosclerotic effects of shear stress by preventing endothelial activation through the complement cascade.

L12 ANSWER 6 OF 48 MEDLINE

ACCESSION NUMBER: 2000029297 MEDLINE

DOCUMENT NUMBER: 20029297 PubMed ID: 10565567

TITLE: Antisense IRAK-2 oligonucleotide blocks

IL-1-stimulated NF-kappaB activation and ICAM-1 expression

in cultured endothelial cells.

AUTHOR: Guo F; Li Y; Wu S

Institute of Pharmaceutic Sciences, The First Military CORPORATE SOURCE:

Medical University, Guang Zhou, China.

SOURCE: INFLAMMATION, (1999 Dec) 23 (6) 535-43. Journal code: 7600105. ISSN: 0360-3997.

PUB. COUNTRY: United States

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Phosphorothicate oligodeoxynucleotide (ODN) was designed antisense AΒ to sequences of the recently cloned human IL-1 receptor associated kinase-2 (IRAK-2). Antisense IRAK-2 ODN was delivered by lipofectin encapsulation into cultured endothelial cells. The levels of NF-KB, surface expression of intracellular adhesion molecule-1 (ICAM-1), ICAM-1 and IRAK-2 mRNAs were measured by sandwich ELISA, ELISA on cells in situ, and semiquantitative reverse transcription-PCR (RT-PCR), respectively. Antisense IRAK-2 ODN inhibited IL-1-induced NF-KB activation and surface expression of ICAM-1 in a concentration (1-4 microg)- and time (5-24 h)-dependent fashion. A maximum inhibition of NF-KB activation or surface expression of ICAM-1 occurred when the cells were incubated with antisense IRAK-2 ODN 3 microg for 8 h. IL-1-induced ICAM-1 mRNA expression was also inhibited after treatment of cells with antisense IRAK-2 ODN 3 microg for 8 h. The attenuation of the cellular response to IL-1 caused by antisense IRAK-2 ODN correlated with a reduction of IRAK-2 expression. These data suggest that antisense IRAK-2 ODN may share a role in the design of antiinflammatory therapeutics.

L12 ANSWER 7 OF 48 MEDLINE

ACCESSION NUMBER: 1999388447 MEDLINE

DOCUMENT NUMBER: 99388447 PubMed ID: 10454982 TITLE: Achieving antisense inhibition by

oligodeoxynucleotides containing N(7)-modified

2'-deoxyguanosine using tumor necrosis factor receptor type

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AUTHOR: Ojwang J O; Rando R F

CORPORATE SOURCE: ZymeTx, Inc., 800 Research Parkway, Suite 100, Oklahoma

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SOURCE: METHODS, (1999 Jul) 18 (3) 244-51.

Journal code: 9426302. ISSN: 1046-2023.

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Antisense oligodeoxynucleotides (ODNs) are being explored as AΒ therapeutic agents for the treatment of many disorders including viral infections, cancers, and inflammatory disorders. In addition, antisense technology can be of great benefit to those attempting to assign function to the multitude of new genes being uncovered in the genomics initiative. However, the demonstration that the generegulating effects produced by antisense-designed ODNs are attributable to an antisense mechanism of action requires carefully designed experimentation. Critical to the assignment of an antisense mechanism of action is the availability of nuclease-stable ODNs, inside cells, that have a high binding affinity with the target mRNA and modulate gene functions in a sequence-dependent manner. To help us achieve a goal of sequence-specific antisense activity we designed antisense ODNs containing C(5)-propynemodified 2'-deoxyuracil and N(7)-propyne-modified 7-deaza-2'-deoxyguanosine bases and partially modified (phosphorothioate) internucleoside linkages. These modified ODNs were found to have enhanced binding affinity to their target mRNA sequences as well as reduced sequence-independent side effects. We used these ODNs to specifically inhibit p55 tumor necrosis factor receptor type 1 expression and tumor necrosis factor alpha-mediated functions in culture assays. Copyright 1999 Academic Press.

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1998427309 MEDLINE

DOCUMENT NUMBER:

98427309 PubMed ID: 9755878

TITLE:

Effect of interleukin-8 on production

of tumor-associated substances and autocrine growth of

human liver and pancreatic cancer cells.

AUTHOR:

Miyamoto M; Shimizu Y; Okada K; Kashii Y; Higuchi K;

Watanabe A

CORPORATE SOURCE:

The Third Department of Internal Medicine, Faculty of Medicine, Toyama Medical and Pharmaceutical University,

Toyama City, Japan.

SOURCE:

CANCER IMMUNOLOGY, IMMUNOTHERAPY, (1998 Sep)

(1) 47-57.

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199810

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We have previously reported that human liver cancer cell lines produce AB interleukin-8 (IL-8) at high levels.

Those tumor cells appeared to express two kinds of IL-8 receptor on their surface. In order to analyze the role of IL-8 on the biological characteristics of those tumor cells, we

suppressed IL-8 production from human liver (HuH-7 and

HuCC-T1) and pancreatic cancer cell lines (HuP-T4) by treatment with

IL-8 antisense oligonucleotides. Suppression

of IL-8 production resulted not only in inhibition of cell growth, but also in an increase in the concentrations of some tumor-associated substances such as carbohydrate antigen 19-9 (CA19-9) in the medium. These data indicate that IL-8 produced by

human liver and pancreatic tumors may act as an autocrine growth factor and may control the production of some tumor-associated substances. Furthermore, surface expression of sialyl-Lewis(a), which is a ligand for ELAM-1 on human umbilical vein endothelial cells (HUVEC), HuCC-T1 and HuP-T4 cells was decreased and the attachment of these tumor cells to HUVEC was inhibited by treatment with IL-8

antisense oligonucleotide. Since the soluble form of CA19-9 (sialyl-Lewis(a)) was shown to inhibit the tumor cell binding to HUVEC, the decrease in release of CA19-9 into the medium and increase in the expression of sialyl-Lewis(a) on the cell surface may suggest that IL-8 production from the tumor cells enhances metastatic potential by augmenting the binding activity of the tumor cells to HUVEC. These data demonstrate that a cytokine produced by tumor cells may function as an autocrine growth factor and affect tumor cell

dissemination.

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ACCESSION NUMBER: 1998202141 MEDLINE

DOCUMENT NUMBER: 98202141 PubMed ID: 9543141

Interleukin-8 induces proliferation of TITLE:

endometrial stromal cells: a potential autocrine growth

factor.

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(1998 Apr) 83 (4) 1201-5.

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AB Proliferation of endometrium is dependent on sex steroid hormones, but specific growth factors are likely to play an important role in regulating this process. A number of cytokines and growth factors are synthesized in the endometrium in response to sex steroid hormones and act to regulate endometrial function. Endometrial cells produce interleukin-

8 (IL-8) both in vivo and in vitro. We hypothesized that IL-8, a neutrophil

chemoattractant/activating factor and a potent angiogenic agent that has been shown to stimulate growth in other cell types, may directly stimulate proliferation of endometrial cells. We first investigated the effect of

IL-8 and mouse antihuman-IL-8

neutralizing antibody on endometrial stromal cell proliferation using both a colorimetric assay and thymidine uptake. We then investigated the

modulation of endometrial stromal cell IL-8 production

and proliferation by antisense oligonucleotides specific for IL-8. There was a concentration-dependent increase of

cell proliferation with IL-8 (2-fold at 1 ng/mL; P <

0.01 between control and concentrations above 0.01 ng/mL) and a concentration-dependent inhibition of cell proliferation with anti-

IL-8 antibody (to 30% of the control at 1 microg/mL; P <

0.01 between control and concentrations above 0.1 microg/mL). IL

-8 antisense oligonucleotide treatment decreased

IL-8 production by endometrial stromal cells in culture

as well as cell proliferation when it is compared with scrambled (nonsense) oligonucleotide treatment (P < 0.01). Addition of **IL**-

8 (1 ng/mL) reversed the proliferation inhibitory effect

of IL-8 antisense oligonucleotides. We

propose that IL-8 may act as an autocrine growth

factor in the endometrium, and suggest that it may also play a role in the pathogenesis of endometriosis.

L12 ANSWER 10 OF 48 MEDLINE

ACCESSION NUMBER: 1998182313 MEDLINE

DOCUMENT NUMBER: 98182313 PubMed ID: 9516148

TITLE: Mechanisms of growth control of Kaposi's sarcoma-associated

herpes virus-associated primary effusion lymphoma cells.

AUTHOR: Asou H; Said J W; Yang R; Munker R; Park D J; Kamada N;

Koeffler H P

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Medical Center, UCLA School of Medicine, Los Angeles, CA

90048, USA.

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SOURCE: BLOOD, (1998 Apr 1) 91 (7) 2475-81.

Journal code: 7603509. ISSN: 0006-4971.

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DOCUMENT TYPE: Journal; Article; (JOURNAL ARTICLE)

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Primary effusion lymphoma (PEL) is a distinct clinicopathologic entity AΒ associated with Kaposi's sarcoma-associated herpes virus (KSHV). Several cytokines, including interleukin-6 (IL-6), basic fibroblast growth factor (bFGF), and platelet-derived growth factor (PDGF) may be important for survival of KS cells. However, little is known about the interaction of cytokines with KSHV-infected lymphocytes from PEL. Therefore, we investigated what cytokines were produced by KSHV-infected PEL cell lines (KS-1, BC-1, BC-2), what cytokine receptors were expressed by these cells, what response these cells had to selected cytokines, and what was the effect of IL-6 antisense phosphorothicated oligonucleotides. Reverse transcriptase-polymerase chain reaction (RT-PCR) and protein studies showed that these three cell lines produced IL-10, IL-6, and the receptors for IL-6. The granulocyte macrophage colony-stimulating factor (GM-CSF), IL-1beta, IL-8, IL-12, bFGF, PDGF, and c-kit transcripts were not detected in the cell lines. High levels (0.7 to 5 ng/mL/10(6) cells/48 hours) of IL-6 protein were consistently detected in supernatants of the cell lines by enzyme-linked immunosorbent assay (ELISA) tests. In clonogenic assays, interferon-alpha (IFN-alpha) and IFN-gamma suppressed the clonal growth of the PEL cells, but GM-CSF, IL-4, IL-6, IL-8, IL -10, and oncostatin M did not change it. We examined for several autocrine loops that have been suggested to occur in KS. Experiments using antisense oligonucleotides showed that the clonal growth of KS-1 and BC-1 was nearly 100% inhibited by IL-6 antisense oligonucleotides (10 micromol/L), but not at all by either oligonucleotides (</=10 micromol/L) to IL-6 sense, IL-6 scrambled, viral IL-6 (vIL-6) antisense, or IL-10 antisense. Furthermore, the IL-6 antisense oligonucleotides had no effect on two B-cell lymphoma cell lines, which were not infected with KSHV. Addition of IL-6 antibody did not inhibit clonal growth of any of the cell lines. Taken together, we have defined the cytokines and their receptors expressed on PEL cells and have found that these cells synthesized IL-6 and IL-6 receptors; interruption of this pathway by IL-6 antisense oligonucleotides specifically prevented the growth of these cells. These findings will offer potential new therapeutic strategies for PEL.

L12 ANSWER 11 OF 48 MEDLINE

ACCESSION NUMBER: 1998027997 MEDLINE

DOCUMENT NUMBER: 98027997 PubMed ID: 9361904

TITLE: Sequence-specific inhibition of the tumor necrosis

factor-alpha receptor I gene by oligodeoxynucleotides

containing N7 modified 2'-deoxyguanosine.

AUTHOR: Ojwang J O; Lewis A F; Revankar G R; Walker D; Akiyama T;

Hogan M E; Rando R F

CORPORATE SOURCE: Aronex Pharmaceuticals, Inc., Woodlands, TX 77380, USA.

CONTRACT NUMBER: 5R01AI32894 (NIAID)

SOURCE: ANTISENSE AND NUCLEIC ACID DRUG DEVELOPMENT, (1997

Oct) 7 (5) 447-59.

Journal code: 9606142. ISSN: 1087-2906.

PUB. COUNTRY: United States

DOCUMENT TYPE: Journal; Article; (JOURNAL ARTICLE)

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AB Tumor necrosis factor-alpha (TNF-alpha) is a highly pleiotropic cytokine produced mainly by activated macrophages. This cytokine has been found to

mediate the growth of certain tumors, the replication of HIV-1, septic shock, cachexia, graft-versus-host disease, and autoimmune diseases. The binding of TNF-alpha to the p55 tumor necrosis factor receptor type I (TNFRI) is considered one of the initial steps responsible for the multiple physiologic effects mediated by TNF-alpha. The role of TNF-alpha as an inflammatory mediator through TNFRI makes both of these genes attractive targets for intervention in both acute and chronic inflammatory diseases. We have designed antisense oligodeoxynucleotides (ODNs) containing chemically modified purine and pyrimidine bases that specifically inhibit TNFRI expression and functions. These ODNs were designed to hybridize to the 3'-polyadenylation signal region of the TNFRI gene. In cell-based assays, gene-specific antisense inhibition occurred in a dose-dependent fashion at submicromolar concentrations in the presence of cellular uptake enhancing agents. Within ODN sets with a common pattern of stabilizing backbone substitution, the inhibition of the gene expression is found to be correlated with the affinity of the ODNs for their cognate mRNA target sites, providing direct evidence for an antisense mechanism of action. In addition, events triggered by the binding of TNF-alpha to TNFRI, such as the production of IL-6 and IL-8, were significantly reduced by treatment of cells with the anti-TNFRI ODN. Therefore, antisense ODNs can be used to control biologic processes mediated by TNF-alpha and may be useful as therapeutic agents to treat conditions resulting from overproduction of TNF-alpha.

L12 ANSWER 12 OF 48 MEDLINE

ACCESSION NUMBER:

97342639 MEDLINE

DOCUMENT NUMBER:

97342639 PubMed ID: 9199336

TITLE:

Involvement of interleukin-8, vascular

endothelial growth factor, and basic fibroblast growth

factor in tumor necrosis factor alpha-dependent

angiogenesis.

AUTHOR:

Yoshida S; Ono M; Shono T; Izumi H; Ishibashi T; Suzuki H;

Kuwano M

CORPORATE SOURCE:

Department of Biochemistry, Kyushu University School of

Medicine, Fukuoka, Japan.

SOURCE:

MOLECULAR AND CELLULAR BIOLOGY, (1997 Jul) 17 (7)

4015-23.

Journal code: 8109087. ISSN: 0270-7306.

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United States

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English

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Tumor necrosis factor alpha (TNF-alpha) is a macrophage/monocyte-derived AB polypeptide which modulates the expression of various genes in vascular endothelial cells and induces angiogenesis. However, the underlying mechanism by which TNF-alpha mediates angiogenesis is not completely understood. In this study, we assessed whether TNF-alpha-induced angiogenesis is mediated through TNF-alpha itself or indirectly through other TNF-alpha-induced angiogenesis-promoting factors. Cellular mRNA levels of interleukin-8 (IL-8), vascular endothelial growth factor (VEGF), basic fibroblast growth factor (bFGF), and their receptors were increased after the treatment of human microvascular endothelial cells with TNF-alpha (100 U/ml). TNF-alpha-dependent tubular morphogenesis in vascular endothelial cells was inhibited by the administration of anti-IL-8, anti-VEGF, and anti-bFGF antibodies, and coadministration of all three antibodies almost completely abrogated tubular formation. Moreover,

treatment with Sp1, NF-kappaB, and c-Jun antisense oligonucleotides inhibited TNF-alpha-dependent tubular morphogenesis by microvascular endothelial cells. Administration of a NF-kappaB antisense oligonucleotide almost completely inhibited TNF-alpha-dependent IL-8 production and partially abrogated TNF-alpha-dependent VEGF production, and an Sp1 antisense sequence partially inhibited TNF-alpha-dependent production of VEGF. A c-Jun antisense oligonucleotide significantly inhibited TNF-alpha-dependent bFGF production but did not affect the production of IL-8 and VEGF. Administration of an anti-IL-8 or anti-VEGF antibody also blocked TNF-alpha-induced neovascularization in the rabbit cornea in vivo. Thus, angiogenesis by TNF-alpha appears to be modulated through various angiogenic factors, both in vitro and in vivo, and this pathway is controlled through paracrine and/or autocrine mechanisms.

MEDLINE L12 ANSWER 13 OF 48

97309359 ACCESSION NUMBER:

97309359 DOCUMENT NUMBER:

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PubMed ID: 9166774

TITLE:

Modified antisense oligonucleotides

directed against tumor necrosis factor receptor type I inhibit tumor necrosis factor alpha-mediated functions. Ojwang J O; Mustain S D; Marshall H B; Rao T S; Chaudhary

AUTHOR:

N; Walker D A; Hogan M E; Akiyama T; Revankar G R; Peyman

A; Uhlmann E; Rando R F

CORPORATE SOURCE:

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BIOCHEMISTRY, (1997 May 20) 36 (20) 6033-45. Journal code: 0370623. ISSN: 0006-2960.

PUB. COUNTRY:

United States

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Tumor necrosis factor alpha (TNF alpha), a polypeptide produced by AB activated macrophages, is a highly pleiotropic cytokine which elicits inflammatory and immunological reactions. The binding of TNF alpha to tumor necrosis factor receptor type I (TNFRI) is considered the initial step responsible for some of the multiple biological functions mediated by TNF alpha. The role of TNF alpha as an inflammatory mediator through human TNFRI makes TNFRI an attractive target for intervention, in both acute and chronic inflammatory diseases. In this study, we have identified partial phosphorothicate oligodeoxyribonucleotides (ODNs) containing C-5 propynyl or hexynyl derivatives of 2'-deoxyuridine which specifically inhibited TNFRI and subsequently inhibited the functions of TNF alpha mediated through TNFRI. The most active ODNs were directed against the 3'-poly adenylation signal site on the TNFRI mRNA, and in a cellular assay, gene-specific antisense inhibition occurred in a dose-dependent fashion at submicromolar concentrations, in the presence of Cellfectin. The inhibition of gene expression correlated with the binding affinity of the ODN for the target mRNA. The ODNs lowered TNFRI protein levels and TNF alpha-mediated functions by specifically reducing levels of TNFRI mRNA. These anti-TNFRI ODNs offer a novel approach for controlling biological functions of TNF alpha and may be useful as human therapeutic agents for treating diseases in which TNF alpha has been implicated.

L12 ANSWER 14 OF 48 MEDLINE

ACCESSION NUMBER: 97307623 MEDLINE

PubMed ID: 9164965 DOCUMENT NUMBER: 97307623

RC261, 41 A681

TITLE: Thrombin induces endothelial type II activation in vitro:

IL-1 and TNF-alpha-independent IL-8 secretion and E-selectin expression.

AUTHOR: Kaplanski G; Fabrigoule M; Boulay V; Dinarello C A;

Bongrand P; Kaplanski S; Farnarier C

CORPORATE SOURCE: Laboratory of Immunology, INSERM Unit 387, Hospital Sainte

Marquerite, Marseille, France.

CONTRACT NUMBER: NIH 15614

SOURCE: JOURNAL OF IMMUNOLOGY, (1997 Jun 1) 158 (11)

5435-41.

Journal code: 2985117R. ISSN: 0022-1767.

PUB. COUNTRY: United States

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In addition to its role in coagulation, thrombin is involved in the AΒ inflammatory process by inducing vessel neutrophilic infiltration. Thrombin induces endothelial P-selectin expression and platelet activating factor release, which participate to induce early neutrophil adhesion and activation. We employed HUVEC and now show that thrombin induces the production of the chemokine IL-8 in a time- and dose-dependent fashion. Similarly, thrombin induced E-selectin expression on HUVEC. Both IL-8 secretion and E-selectin expression were preceded by an increase in steady state levels of the respective mRNAs. Thrombin action on HUVEC was inhibited by the specific thrombin inhibitor, hirudin. In addition, these effects of thrombin on HUVEC were mimicked by the 14-amino acid thrombin receptor agonist peptide, which triggers the native thrombin receptor in a similar fashion to thrombin itself. Although IL-1 and TNF-alpha also induce IL-8 and E-selectin, the thrombin effects in these experiments were not mediated by those cytokines, since neither IL-1 receptor antagonist nor anti-TNF-alpha Ab inhibited the effects of thrombin. Furthermore, IL-lalpha, IL-lbeta, and TNF-alpha were not detected in the supernatants of thrombin-activated HUVEC. Although intracellular IL-lalpha was found in thrombin-activated HUVEC, antisense IL-lalpha had no inhibitory effect on IL-8 secretion. These

results demonstrate that in addition to short term endothelial activation, thrombin also functions as a long acting proinflammatory agent by inducing endothelial synthesis of the mediators required for neutrophils activation and extravazation during inflammation.

L12 ANSWER 15 OF 48 MEDLINE

ACCESSION NUMBER: 97194778 MEDLINE

DOCUMENT NUMBER: 97194778 PubMed ID: 9042216

TITLE: Reversible inhibition of IL-8 receptor

B mRNA expression and proliferation in non-small cell lung

cancer by antisense oligonucleotides.

AUTHOR: Olbina G; Cieslak D; Ruzdijic S; Esler C; An Z; Wang X;

Hoffman R; Seifert W; Pietrzkowski Z

CORPORATE SOURCE: Research Department, ICN Pharmaceuticals, Inc., Costa Mesa,

CA 92626, USA.

SOURCE: ANTICANCER RESEARCH, (1996 Nov-Dec) 16 (6B)

/ 3525-30.

Journal code: 8102988. ISSN: 0250-7005.

PUB. COUNTRY: Greece

DOCUMENT TYPE: Journal; Article; (JOURNAL ARTICLE)

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199703

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We examined the importance of IL-8 receptor B mRNA AΒ expression in the growth of non-small cell lung cancer (NSCLC). Using antisense oligonucleotide ICN 197, we were able to inhibit IL-8 R B mRNA expression in vitro. The sequence specific effect of antisense oligonucleotide and down-regulation of IL-8 R B mRNA was shown by Reverse Transcription Polymerase Chain Reaction (RT-PCR) and Southern blot analysis. The proliferation of treated cells was measured by 3H thymidine incorporation. We found that treatment of NSCLC cells caused reversible growth inhibition and reversible down regulation of IL-8 R B mRNA. Furthermore, we observed that the treatment of nude mice with oligonucleotide ICN 197 inhibited the growth of tumors developed from NSCLC cells injected subcutaneously. Our data in vitro suggest that IL-8 receptor B mRNA expression is required to maintain the proliferative rate of NSCLC. Based on the data in vivo. oligonucleotide ICN 197 may be considered for the development of novel therapeutic treatment for lung cancer.

L12 ANSWER 16 OF 48 MEDLINE

ACCESSION NUMBER:

96315649 MEDLINE

DOCUMENT NUMBER:

96315649 PubMed ID: 8754823

TITLE:

Involvement of the transcription factor NF-kappaB in tubular morphogenesis of human microvascular endothelial

cells by oxidative stress.

AUTHOR:

Shono T; Ono M; Izumi H; Jimi S I; Matsushima K; Okamoto T;

Kohno K; Kuwano M

CORPORATE SOURCE:

Department of Biochemistry, Kyushu Unviersity School of

Medicine, Fukuoka, Japan.

CONTRACT NUMBER:

CA-14195 (NCI)

SOURCE:

MOLECULAR AND CELLULAR BIOLOGY, (1996 Aug) 16 (8)

4231-9.

Journal code: 8109087. ISSN: 0270-7306.

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Oxygen radicals are induced under various pathologic conditions associated AΒ with neovascularization. Oxygen radicals modulate angiogenesis in cultured human microvascular endothelial cells by an unknown mechanism. Treatment of human microvascular endothelial cells for 15 min with 0.1 to 0.5 mM hydrogen peroxide (H2O2) or 100 U of tumor necrosis factor alpha per ml induced tubular morphogenesis in type I collagen gels. Gel shift assays with nuclear extracts demonstrated that H2O2 increases the binding activities of two transcription factors, NF-kappaB and AP-1, but not of Spl. Tumor necrosis factor alpha increased the binding activities of all three factors. A supershift assay with specific antibodies against JunB, JunD, and c-Jun (Jun family) showed that the antibody against c-Jun supershifted the AP-1 complex after H2O2 treatment. Coadministration of the antisense sequence of NF-kappaB inhibited H2O2-dependent tubular morphogenesis, and the antisense c-Jun oligonucleotide caused partial inhibition. The angiogenic factor responsible for H2O2-induced tubular morphogenesis was examined. Cellular mRNA levels of vascular endothelial growth factor and interleukin -8 (IL-8), but not those of transforming

growth factor alpha, were increased after treatment with 0.5 mM H2O2. Coadministration of anti-IL-8 antibody inhibited tubular morphogenesis enhanced by H2O2, and IL-8 itself also enhanced the formation of tube-like structures. Treatment with antisense NF-kappaB oligonucleotide completely blocked H202-dependent IL-8 production by endothelial cells. The tubular morphogenesis of vascular endothelial cells after treatment with oxidative stimuli and its possible association with NF-kappaB and IL-8, is examined.

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ACCESSION NUMBER: 2000:341676 BIOSIS PREV200000341676

TITLE:

Inhibition of tumor growth by antisense

oligonucleotides for IL-8 and

IL-8 receptor.

AUTHOR(S):

Pietrzkowski, Zbigniew (1); Cieslak, Dariusz; Olbina,

Gordan

CORPORATE SOURCE:

(1) Foothill Ranch, CA USA

ASSIGNEE: IGN-Pharmaceuticals, Inc., Costa Mesa, CA, USA

PATENT INFORMATION: US 6017898 January 25, 2000

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Office Patents, (Jan. 25, 2000) Vol. 1230, No. 4,

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DOCUMENT TYPE:

Patent English

LANGUAGE:

Oligonucleotides are provided which are effective in inhibiting the

growth, metastasis and/or angiogenesis of tumors, including particularly melanoma and/or lung cancer. Methods are also provided for use of these oligonucleotides in the treatment of diseases.

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ACCESSION NUMBER:

95147778 EMBASE

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1995147778

TITLE:

Immunomodulation by cytokine antisense

oligonucleotides.

AUTHOR:

D'Hellencourt C.L.; Diaw L.; Guenounou M.

CORPORATE SOURCE:

Laboratoire Biologie des Cytokines, C.H.R. Robert Debre,

rue Alexis Carrel, 51092 Reims cedex, France

SOURCE:

European Cytokine Network, (1995) 6/1 (7-19).

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France

DOCUMENT TYPE:

Journal: General Review Human Genetics 022

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037 Drug Literature Index

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SUMMARY LANGUAGE: English

The cytokine network is involved in normal immune reaction and in the progression of several pathologies. Antisense (AS) oligonucleotides, which allow specific inhibition of expression of proteins, offer a new methodology to investigate this complex network. This review focuses on the use of AS to modulate cytokine expression. AS may act in different ways such as blocking fixation or progression of the ribosome along the mRNA, mRNA cleavage by RNase H, or preventing normal RNA maturation. In order to improve AS efficiency, chemical modifications have been developed, and improvement of oligonucleotide uptake has been achieved with different systems of vectorization including liposomes (neutral, cationic, immunoliposome), nanoparticles, or covalent attachment of a carrier, In oncogenesis, intracellular or extracellular autocrine

loops have been demonstrated by the use of cytokine AS. Involvement of cytokines in immunological reactions (TH1 and TH2 subset, IgE response, lymphokine activated killer, cytotoxic T lymphocyte...) and in hematopoiesis have also been studied with this approach. Therapeutic application of AS has been suggested by inhibition of inflammatory cytokines in vivo. Clinical trials using AS are under investigation in virological and in oncological diseases. At present, cytokine antisenses primarily represent a tool for dissecting the function of a cytokine in vitro, but they may offer in the future a new way for immunomodulation intervention,

L12 ANSWER 19 OF 48 CA COPYRIGHT 2003 ACS

136:293220 CA ACCESSION NUMBER:

Adenoviral-mediated gene therapy of human bladder TITLE:

cancer with antisense interleukin-

Inoue, Keiji; Wood, Christopher G.; Slaton, Joel W.; AUTHOR(S):

Karashima, Takashi; Sweeney, Paul; Dinney, Colin P. N. Department of Cancer Biology, The University of Texas

CORPORATE SOURCE:

M.D Anderson Cancer Center, Houston, TX, 77030, USA

Oncology Reports (2001), 8(5), 955-964 SOURCE:

CODEN: OCRPEW; ISSN: 1021-335X

Oncology Reports PUBLISHER:

DOCUMENT TYPE: Journal English LANGUAGE:

We previously demonstrated the importance of interleukin-AB

8 (IL-8) as a mediator of angiogenesis,

tumorigenicity, and metastasis of transitional cell carcinoma (TCC) of the bladder. In the present study, we evaluated the feasibility of adenoviral mediated antisense IL-8 gene transfer (Ad

IL-8-AS) as therapy for established TCC. In vitro, Ad IL-8-AS inhibited endothelial cell proliferation and

enhanced endothelial cell apoptosis. The highly metastatic human TCC cell line 253J B-VR was implanted into the subcutis of athymic nude mice, and intralesional therapy with Ad IL-8-AS commenced when

the tumors reached a diam. between 5 and 7 mm. Tumor growth was significantly inhibited compared with therapy in controls (saline and ss-galactosidase adenovirus). Ad IL-8-AS therapy

decreased the in vivo expression of IL-8 and matrix

metalloproteinase type 9 (MMP-9), reduced microvessel d., and enhanced endothelial cell apoptosis. These results indicate that Ad IL-8-AS therapy targets both tumor cells and host endothelial cells

resulting in endothelial cell apoptosis and significant inhibition of tumor growth.

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L12 ANSWER 20 OF 48 CA COPYRIGHT 2003 ACS

136:117140 CA ACCESSION NUMBER:

Regulation of hematopoietic growth factor production TITLE:

by genetically modified human bone marrow stromal cells expressing interleukin-1.beta. antisense

Hartwig, Udo F.; Keller, Ulrich; Huber, Christoph; AUTHOR(S):

Peschel, Christian

III. Department of Medicine, Johannes-Gutenberg CORPORATE SOURCE:

University Mainz, Mainz, Germany

Journal of Interferon and Cytokine Research (SOURCE:

2001), 21(10), 851-860

CODEN: JICRFJ; ISSN: 1079-9907

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Interleukin-1 (IL-1) plays a major role in the regulation of bone marrow stromal cell function and hematopoiesis. It is known to induce secretion of the hematopoietic growth factors granulocyte colony-stimulating factor (G-CSF), granulocyte-macrophage CSF (GM-CSF), IL-6, and IL-8 as well as IL-1 itself in stromal cells. We investigated the role of IL-1.beta.-mediated growth factor prodn. in the human stromal cell line L88/5. Using liposome-mediated DNA transfer, two stromal cell transfectants that constitutively express IL-1.beta. antisense (AS) RNA were generated. Expression of IL-1.beta. AS RNA and IL-1.beta. RNA was detd. by RT-PCR. The stromal cell transfectants were strongly impaired in their endogenous IL-1.beta. prodn., and this effect was present even when strong IL-1.beta. inducers, such as IL-1.alpha. and tumor necrosis factor-.alpha. (TNF-.alpha.), were used. Reduced endogenous IL-1.beta. levels had no effect on the constitutive prodn. of IL-6, IL-8, and GM-CSF measured by ELISA. In contrast to lipopolysaccharide (LPS) stimulation, IL-1.alpha.-mediated stimulation of GM-CSF prodn. was significantly reduced in AS transfectants. TNF-.alpha. induced GM-CSF prodn. was also reduced. IL-6 and IL-8 prodn. was increased in transfectants, suggesting a neg. regulatory role of IL-1.beta. in L88/5. This new approach using AS technol. to specifically target constitutive RNA expression will allow further characterization of the bone marrow cytokine network in normal and malignant hematopoiesis.

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L12 ANSWER 21 OF 48 CA COPYRIGHT 2003 ACS

ACCESSION NUMBER: 135:308839 CA

TITLE: Genetically modified lung cancer cells expressing a

TGF-.beta. inhibitor for antitumor application

INVENTOR(S): Fakhrai, Habib

PATENT ASSIGNEE(S): Novarx, USA

SOURCE: PCT Int. Appl., 41 pp.

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AB The present invention relates to compns. comprising a therapeutically effective amt. of genetically modified cells contg. a genetic construct expressing a TGF.beta. inhibitor effective to reduce expression of

TGF.beta., where the genetically modified cells are non-small cell lung cancer (NSCLC) cells or small cell lung cancer (SCLC) cells, and related methods.

L12 ANSWER 22 OF 48 CA COPYRIGHT 2003 ACS

135:252790 CA ACCESSION NUMBER:

Single nucleotide polymorphisms in human genes TITLE:

Cargill, Michele; Ireland, James S.; Lander, Eric S. INVENTOR(S):

Whitehead Institute for Biomedical Research, USA PATENT ASSIGNEE(S): SOURCE:

PCT Int. Appl., 145 pp.

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The invention provides nucleic acid segments of the human genome, AB particularly nucleic acid segments from genes including polymorphic sites. The polymorphisms were identified by resequencing of target sequences from individuals of diverse ethnic and geog. backgrounds by hybridization to probes immobilized to microfabricated arrays. Some of the single nucleotide polymorphisms (SNPs) specify a different amino acid sequence, some are silent or are in noncoding regions, and some specify a stop signal in protein translation. Allele-specific primers and probes hybridizing to regions flanking or contg. these sites are also provided. The nucleic acids, primers and probes are used in applications such as phenotype correlations, forensics, paternity testing, medicine and genetic anal.

L12 ANSWER 23 OF 48 CA COPYRIGHT 2003 ACS

ACCESSION NUMBER: 135:163432 CA

cDNA encoding human and mouse interleukin 17 TITLE:

receptor-related protein EVI27

INVENTOR(S): Shaughnessy, John D.

Board of Trustees of the University of Arkansas, USA PATENT ASSIGNEE(S):

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     The invention relates to cDNA encoding human and mouse interleukin 17
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ACCESSION NUMBER:
                           Protein kinase inhibitors and other agents for the
TITLE:
                           treatment of Helicobacter pylori-induced
                           gastrointestinal diseases
                           Wallasch, Christian; Bevec, Dorian
INVENTOR(S):
                          Axxima Pharmaceuticals A.-G., Germany
PATENT ASSIGNEE(S):
                           PCT Int. Appl., 31 pp.
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     A method is disclosed for the manuf. of a medicament for treating or
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     preventing Helicobacter mediated diseases in a mammal and a method for
      treating or preventing Helicobacter-mediated diseases. The compds. of the
      invention include CCK-B inhibitors, protein kinase C inhibitors,
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membrane-assocd. metalloproteinase inhibitors, growth factor receptor activation inhibitors, growth factor receptor kinase inhibitors, mitogen-activated protein kinase cascade inhibitors, and transcription inhibitors.

134:324369 CA ACCESSION NUMBER:

Production of experimental malignant pleural effusions TITLE:

is dependent on invasion of the pleura and expression

of vascular endothelial growth factor/vascular permeability factor by human lung cancer cells Yano, Seiji; Shinohara, Hisashi; Herbst, Roy S.;

Kuniyasu, Hiroki; Bucana, Corazon D.; Ellis, Lee M.;

Fidler, Isaiah J.

Department of Cancer Biology, The University of Texas M. D. Anderson Cancer Center, Houston, TX, 77030, USA CORPORATE SOURCE:

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AUTHOR(S):

We detd. the mol. mechanisms that regulate the pathogenesis of malignant pleural effusion (PE) assocd. with advanced stage of human, non-small-cell lung cancer. I.v. injection of human PC14 and PC14PE6 (adenocarcinoma) or H226 (squamous cell carcinoma) cells into nude mice yielded numerous lung lesions. PC14 and PC14PE6 lung lesions invaded the pleura and produced PE contg. a high level of vascular endothelial growth factor (VEGF)-localized vascular hyperpermeability. Lung lesions produced by H226 cells were confined to the lung parenchyma with no PE. The level of expression of VEGF mRNA and protein by the cell lines directly correlated with extent of PE formation. Transfection of PC14PE6 cells with antisense VEGF165 gene did not inhibit invasion into the pleural space but reduced PE formation. H226 cells transfected with either sense VEGF 165 or sense VEGF 121 genes induced localized vascular hyperpermeability and produced PE only after direct implantation into the thoracic cavity. The prodn. of PE was thus assocd. with the ability of tumor cells to invade the pleura, a property assocd. with expression of high levels of urokinase-type plasminogen activator and low levels of TIMP-2. Collectively, the data demonstrate that the prodn. of malignant PE requires tumor cells to invade the pleura and express high levels of VEGF/VPF.

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ACCESSION NUMBER:

134:322353 CA

TITLE:

Post-translational modification of recombinant proteins in plants by altering its natural

modification abilities

Russell, Douglas; Manjunath, Siva; Bassuner, Ronald INVENTOR(S):

Monsanto Company, USA PATENT ASSIGNEE(S): PCT Int. Appl., 132 pp. SOURCE:

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The present invention is directed to methods for producing a AB post-translationally modified heterologous polypeptide in a plant host system by altering the natural post-translational abilities of that plant host system. The post-translational modification may be proteolytic cleavage, glycosylation, phosphorylation, methylation, sulfation, prenylation, acetylation, N-amidation, oxidn., hydroxylation, or myristylation. In a preferred embodiment, this method includes transforming a plant host system with a nucleic acid that encodes a heterologous polypeptide, and isolating that polypeptide from the plant host system. The heterologous proteins may include antibodies and antibody fragments, collagen types I-XX, human protein C, and cytokines. In another aspect of this method, altering the natural post-translational modifications is done by transforming the plant host system with one or more nucleic acid sequences encoding a post-translational modification enzyme. Such plant specific post-translational modifying enzymes include Galactosyl transferase, xylosyl transferase, and fucosyl transferase. an alternative aspect, the altering is done by mutagenesis of plant host system. In another embodiment, the altering is done by transforming said plant host system with an expression vector comprising a nucleic acid sequence that encodes an antisense nucleic acid. The invention further provides a method for producing a post-translationally modified heterologous polypeptide in a plant host system, by cross-pollinating a first plant, wherein the plant has been transformed with a first expression vector comprising a nucleic acid sequence encoding a heterologous polypeptide, and a second plant wherein the second plant has been transformed with a second expression vector comprising a nucleic acid sequence encoding a post-translational modifying enzyme.

L12 ANSWER 27 OF 48 CA COPYRIGHT 2003 ACS

ACCESSION NUMBER:

134:141771 CA

TITLE:

Methods using PPAR.delta. inhibitors for treatment of vascular diseases, cancer, Alzheimer's disease, and inflammatory disorders, and drug screening methods Palmer, Colin Neil Alexander; Vosper, Helen; Wolf,

INVENTOR(S):

Charles Roland The University of Dundee, UK

PATENT ASSIGNEE(S):

PCT Int. Appl., 52 pp.

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AB A method of preventing or reducing foam cell development from macrophages, or removing foam cells, in a patient comprises administering an effective amt. of an inhibitor of PPAR.delta. activity. A method of preventing or treating a vascular disease assocd. with plaque formation and/or thrombotic blockage of the blood vessels in a patient comprises administering to the patient an effective amt. of an inhibitor of PPAR.delta. activity. Also disclosed are methods for the treatment of cancer, Alzheimer's disease, and inflammatory disorders.

L12 ANSWER 28 OF 48 CA COPYRIGHT 2003 ACS

ACCESSION NUMBER: 134:80833 CA

TITLE: Antisense method for the prophylaxis and/or treatment

of psoriasis and other skin disorders

INVENTOR(S): Wraight, Christopher John; Werther, George Arthur;

Edmondson, Stephanie Ruth

PATENT ASSIGNEE(S): Murdoch Childrens Research Institute, Australia

SOURCE: PCT Int. Appl., 201 pp.

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The present invention relates generally to a method for the prophylaxis and/or treatment of skin disorders, and in particular proliferative and/or inflammatory skin disorders, and to genetic mols. useful for same. The present invention is particularly directed to genetic mols. capable of modulating growth factor interaction with its receptor on epidermal keratinocytes to inhibit, reduce or otherwise decrease stimulation of this layer of cells. The present invention contemplates, in a most preferred embodiment, a method for the prophylaxis and/or treatment of psoriasis.

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6 THERE ARE 6 CITED REFERENCES AVAILABLE FOR THIS RECORD. ALL CITATIONS AVAILABLE IN THE RE FORMAT

L12 ANSWER 29 OF 48 CA COPYRIGHT 2003 ACS

ACCESSION NUMBER: 133:329593 CA

TITLE: Low adenosine anti-sense oligonucleotide,

compositions, kit and method for treatment of airway disorders associated with bronchoconstriction, lung inflammation, allergy(ies) and surfactant depletion

INVENTOR(S): Nyce, Jonathan W.

PATENT ASSIGNEE(S): East Carolina University, USA

SOURCE: PCT Int. Appl., 1592 pp.

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OTHER SOURCE(S): MARPAT 133:329593

An in vivo method of selectively delivering a nucleic acid to a target gene or mRNA, comprises the topical administration, e.g. to the respiratory system, of a subject of a therapeutic amt. of an oligonucleotide (oligo) that is antisense to the initiation codon region, the coding region, the 5' or 3' intron-exon junctions or regions within 2 to 10 nucleotides of the junctions of the gene or antisense to a mRNA complementary to the gene in an amt. effective to reach the target polynucleotide and reducing or inhibiting expression. In addn. a method of treating an adenosine-mediated effect comprises topically administering to a subject an antisense oligo in an amt. effective to treat the respiratory, pulmonary, or airway disease. In order to minimize triggering adenosine receptors by their metab., the administered oligos have a low content of or are essentially free of adenosine. A pharmaceutical compn. and formulations comprise the oligo antisense to an adenosine receptor, genes and mRNAs encoding them, genomic and mRNA flanking regions, intron and exon borders and all regulatory and functionally related segments of the genes and mRNAs encoding the polypeptides, their salts and mixts. Various formulations contain a requisite carrier, and optionally other additives and biol. active agents. The low-adenosine or adenosine-free (des-A) agent for practicing the method of the invention may be prepd. by selecting a target gene(s), genomic flanking region(s), RNA(s) and/or polypeptide(s) assocd. with a disease(s) or condition(s) afflicting lung airways, obtaining the sequence of the mRNA(s) corresponding to the target gene(s) and/or genomic flanking region(s), and/or RNAs encoding the target polypeptide(s), selecting at least one segment of the mRNA which may be up to 60 % free of thymidine

(T) and synthesizing one or more anti-sense oligonucleotide(s) to the mRNA segments which are free of adenosine (A) by substituting a universal base for A when present in the oligonucleotide. The agent may be prepd. by selection of target nucleic acid sequences with GC running stretches, which have low T content, and by optionally replacing A in the antisense oligonucleotides with a "Universal or alternative base". The agent, compn. and formulations are used for prophylactic, preventive and therapeutic treatment of ailments assocd. with impaired respiration, lung allergy(ies) and/or inflammation and depletion lung surfactant or surfactant hypoprodn., such as pulmonary vasoconstriction, inflammation, allergies, allergic rhinitis, asthma, impeded respiration, lung pain, cystic fibrosis, bronchoconstriction. The present treatment is suitable for administration in combination with other treatments, e.g. before, during and after other treatments, including radiation, chemotherapy, antibody therapy and surgery, among others. Alternatively, the present agent is effectively administered prophylactically or therapeutically by itself for conditions without known therapies or as a substitute for therapies exhibiting undesirable side effects. The treatment of this invention may be administered directly into the respiratory system of a subject so that the agent has direct access to the lungs, or by other effective routes of administration, e.g. topically, transdermally, by implantation, etc., in an amt. effective to reduce or inhibit the symptoms of the ailment.

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ACCESSION NUMBER: 132:203144 CA

TITLE: Low-adenosine antisense oligonucleotide agents,

compositions, kits and treatments for respiratory

disorders

INVENTOR(S): Nyce, Jonathan W.

PATENT ASSIGNEE(S): East Carolina University, USA

SOURCE: PCT Int. Appl., 1343 pp.

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AB A compn. comprises a nucleic acid comprising an oligo antisense to a target such as polypeptide(s) assocd. with an ailment afflicting lung airways, genes and mRNAs encoding them, genomic and mRNA flanking regions, intron and exon borders and all regulatory and functionally related segments of the genes and mRNAs encoding the polypeptides, their salts and mixts. Various formulations contain a requisite carrier, and optionally other additives and biol. active agents. The agent of the invention may be prepd. by selecting a target gene(s), genomic flanking region(s), RNA(s) and/or polypeptide(s) assocd. with a disease(s) or condition(s)

afflicting lung airways, obtaining the sequence of the mRNA(s) corresponding to the target gene(s) and/or genomic flanking region(s), and/or RNAs encoding the target polypeptide(s), selecting at least one segment of the mRNA which may be up to 60% free of thymidine (T) and synthesizing one or more antisense oligonucleotide(s) to the mRNA segments which are free of adenosine (A) by substituting a universal base for A when present in the oligonucleotide. The agent may be prepd. by selection of target nucleic acid sequences with GC running stretches, which have low T content, and by optionally replacing A in the antisense oligonucleotides with a universal base. The agent, compn. and formulations are used for prophylactic, preventive and therapeutic treatment of ailments assocd. with impaired respiration, allergy(ies) and/or inflammation, such as pulmonary vasoconstriction, inflammation, allergies, asthma, impeded respiration, lung pain, cystic fibrosis, bronchoconstriction, pulmonary hypertension and bronchoconstriction, chronic bronchitis, emphysema, chronic obstructive pulmonary disease (COPD), acute respiratory distress syndrome (ARDS), ischemic conditions including ischemia itself, and cancers such as leukemias, lymphomas, carcinomas, and the like, e.g. colon cancer, breast cancer, pancreatic cancer, lung cancer, hepatocellular carcinoma, kidney cancer, melanoma, hepatic metastasis, etc., as well as all types of cancers with may metastasize or have metastasized to the lung(s), including breast and prostate cancer. The present treatment is suitable for administration in combination with other treatments, e.g. before, during and after other treatments, including radiation, chemotherapy, antibody therapy and surgery, among others. The present agent is effectively administered preventatively, prophylactically or therapeutically by itself for conditions without known therapies, or as a substitute for, or in conjunction with, other therapies exhibiting undesirable side effects. The treatment of this invention may be administered directly into the respiratory system of a subject, so that the agent has direct access to the airways and the lungs. The invention is exemplified with specificity and pharmacokinetic studies using phosphorothicated antisense oligonucleotides targeted to the adenosine receptors A1, A2a, A2b, and A3.

L12 ANSWER 31 OF 48 CA COPYRIGHT 2003 ACS

ACCESSION NUMBER: 132:131881 CA

TITLE: Tubular morphogenesis by genotoxic therapeutic agents

that induce NF-.kappa.B activation in human vascular

endothelial cells

AUTHOR(S): Goto, Daisuke; Izumi, Hiroto; Ono, Mayumi; Okamoto,

Takeshi; Kohno, Kimitoshi; Kuwano, Michihiko

CORPORATE SOURCE: Department of Biochemistry, Kyushu University School

of Medicine, Fukuoka, 812-82, Japan

SOURCE: Angiogenesis (1999), Volume Date 1998-1999,

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DOCUMENT TYPE: Journal LANGUAGE: English

AB Angiogenic stimuli induce tubular morphogenesis and angiogenesis in vascular endothelial cells, but these cells are highly vulnerable to cytokines, oxidative stress, and genotoxic anticancer agents. A transcription factor, NF-.kappa.B, is involved in the protection against apoptosis and in angiogenesis in response to stimuli that could induce cell death. NF-.kappa.B was specifically activated by the genotoxic anticancer therapeutic agents etoposide and doxorubicin, but not by bleomycin, mitomycin C and cisplatin, in human vascular endothelial cells in three independent assay systems: nuclear translocation of NF-.kappa.B, binding of NF-.kappa.B to its consensus sequence, and NF-.kappa.B -dependent transcription. Exposure to etoposide and doxorubicin induced tubular morphogenesis by vascular endothelial cells in type I collagen gel

at rates comparable to tumor necrosis factor-.alpha.. Co-administration of NF-.kappa.B antisense oligonucleotides inhibited the angiogenesis by doxorubicin and etoposide. In contrast, bleomycin, mitomycin C, and cisplatin did not induce angiogenesis. An angiogenic factor, interleukin 8, was dramatically induced in vascular endothelial cells treated with doxorubicin, but not in cells treated with cisplatin. Co-administration of anti-interleukin 8 antibody almost completely blocked the doxorubicin-induced angiogenesis in vitro, suggesting a paracrine/autocrine control through drug-induced angiogenic factor(s). The presence or absence of NF-.kappa.B activation may have an essential role in tubular morphogenesis by vascular endothelial cells during chemotherapeutic treatment, possibly through

interleukin 8.

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ACCESSION NUMBER: 131:97615 CA

TITLE: NF.kappa.B activity inhibitors INVENTOR(S): Baba, Masanori; Ono, Minoru PATENT ASSIGNEE(S): Kaken Drug Co., Ltd., Japan Jpn. Kokai Tokkyo Koho, 12 pp. SOURCE:

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Alkaloids [e.g. cepharanthin and isotetrandrine] isolated from Stephania cepharantha are nuclear factor .kappa.B activity inhibitors useful for prophylactic or therapeutic use.

L12 ANSWER 33 OF 48 CA COPYRIGHT 2003 ACS

ACCESSION NUMBER: 131:49447 CA

TITLE: Inhibition of tumor growth by inhibiting macrophage

angiogenic activity

INVENTOR(S): Bourdon, Mario A.; Deryugina, Elena; Rao, Pothapragada

Srirama; Borgstrom, Per

La Jolla Institute for Experimental Medicine, USA PATENT ASSIGNEE(S):

SOURCE: PCT Int. Appl., 30 pp.

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phosphorothioate antisense oligonucleotide (HAdA1AS, 5'-

gatggagggcggcatggcggg-3') designed for the adenosine Al receptor is

provided. HAdAlAS significantly and specifically reduces the in vivo response to adenosine challenge in a dose-dependent manner, is effective in protection against aeroallergen-induced bronchoconstriction (house dust mite), has an unexpected long-term duration of effect (8.3 days for both PC50 adenosine and resistance), and is free of side effects that might be toxic to the recipient. Such oligonucleotides may be used for treating a disease or condition assocd. with lung airway, such as

bronchoconstriction, inflammation, or allergies.

REFERENCE COUNT: 2 THERE ARE 2 CITED REFERENCES AVAILABLE FOR THIS RECORD. ALL CITATIONS AVAILABLE IN THE RE FORMAT

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ACCESSION NUMBER: 130:61063 CA

TITLE: Antisense oligonucleotides for IL-

8 and IL-8 receptor, and
use in treatment of cancer

INVENTOR(S): Pietrzkowski, Zbigniew; Cieslak, Dariusz; Olbina,

Gordana

PATENT ASSIGNEE(S): ICN Pharmaceuticals, Inc., USA

SOURCE: U.S., 11 pp., Cont.-in-part of U.S. Ser. No. 561,302,

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ACCESSION NUMBER: 129:104207 CA

TITLE: Osteonectin inhibitors for tumor therapy

INVENTOR(S): Podhajcer, Osvaldo Luis; Ledda, Maria Fernanda; Adris,

Soraya Karina; Bravo, Alicia Ines; Mordoh, Jose;

Chernajovsky, Yuti

PATENT ASSIGNEE(S): Instituto de Investigaciones Bioquimicas Fundacion

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     Compns. and methods are described that decrease or inhibit osteonectin
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     therapies based thereon are also described.
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                          antisense oligonucleotides for
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                          8) and IL-8 receptor
                          Pietrzkowski, Zbigniew; Cieslak, Dariusz; Olbina,
INVENTOR(S):
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     Oligonucleotides are provided which are effective in inhibiting the
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126:26855 CA ACCESSION NUMBER:

Antisense peptides for targeting to TITLE:

cytokines

Miller, Andrew David; Raynes, John Graham INVENTOR(S):

Imperial College of Science, Technology and Medicine, PATENT ASSIGNEE(S):

UK; London School of Hygiene and Tropical Medicine;

Miller, Andrew David; Raynes, John Graham

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An antisense peptide or polypeptide is claimed comprising an AΒ amino acid sequence which binds to a target peptide or polypeptide, thereby altering the biol. activity of the target peptide or polypeptide or the biol. activity of a target mol. which comprises the target peptide or polypeptide. The antisense peptide or polypeptide acts as an antagonist for or inhibitor of the target sequence or mol. In particular, the target mol. is a cytokine, e.g. IL-1.alpha. of IL-1.beta., TNF.alpha. or IL-8 and the antisense peptides thus find use in treating or preventing conditions mediated by these cytokines, for instance inflammatory conditions or cancer. The antisense peptides were tested for biol. effect using an HuH7 hepatoma cell line system in which serum amyloid A (SAA) and heptoglobin were induced directly in response to IL-1. The peptides inhibited both IL-1.alpha. and IL-1.beta.-stimulated synthesis of SAA and heptoglobin in a dose dependent manner; SAA was inhibited more readily than heptoglobin.

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ACCESSION NUMBER:

125:109686 CA

TITLE:

Regulation of neural stem cell proliferation

Weiss, Samuel; Reynolds, Brent A. INVENTOR(S): PATENT ASSIGNEE(S): Neurospheres Holdings Ltd., Can.

SOURCE:

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     The invention is directed to the regulation of multipotent neural stem
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     cell proliferation in vitro and in vivo using compns. comprising various
     biol. factors. More particularly, the invention is related to a method
     and therapeutic compns. for regulating the no. of precursor cells that are
     produced by dividing neural stem cells, by exposing the stem cells to
     specific biol. factors or combinations thereof.
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ACCESSION NUMBER:
                        124:270541 CA
TITLE:
                        Use of antisense nucleic acids/analogs
                        inhibiting growth factor-mediated cell
                        proliferation for treatment of proliferative and/or
                        inflammatory skin disorders
INVENTOR(S):
                        Werther, George Arthur; Wraight, Christopher John
PATENT ASSIGNEE(S):
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AB The present invention relates generally to a method for the prophylaxis and/or treatment of skin disorders, and in particular proliferative and/or inflammatory skin disorders, and to nucleic acids or nucleic acid analogs useful for same. The present invention is particularly directed to mols. capable of modulating growth factor interaction with its receptor on epidermal keratinocytes to inhibit, reduce or otherwise decrease stimulation of this layer of cells. The present invention contemplates, in a most preferred embodiment, a method for the prophylaxis and/or treatment of psoriasis. Phosphorothicate-linked oligonucleotide (18- and 24-mers) antisense to human insulin-like growth factor binding protein 3-encoding nucleic acid inhibited IGFBP-3 synthesis by HaCaT cells (human differentiated keratinocyte cell line).

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ACCESSION NUMBER: 124:115464 CA

TITLE: Proteins binding the intracellular domains of TNF/NGF

superfamily receptors and the formation of soluble

oligomeric TNF/NGF superfamily receptors

INVENTOR(S): Wallach, David; Boldin, Mark; Mett, Igor; Varfolomeev,

Eugene

PATENT ASSIGNEE(S): Yeda Research and Development Co., Ltd., Israel;

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Novel proteins that bind the intracellular domains of the p55 and p75 AΒ TNF-Rs and the Fas-R, and that are capable of modulating the function of these receptors and the Fas antigen are identified and DNAs encoding them are described. Novel sol. oligomeric TNF-Rs, oligomeric Fas-Rs and mixed oligomeric receptors of TNF-Rs and Fas-Rs are also described. These oligomers can also inhibit TNF action. These novel proteins may be manufd. for therapeutic use, such as in the modulation of adverse effects from high levels of endogenous or administered tumor necrosis factors by inhibiting receptor function. Partial cDNAs for the receptor-binding proteins were cloned by screening in a yeast two-hybrid assay system with the intracellular domains of the p55 and p75 receptors as the ligand-binding domains and these were used to screen for full-length cDNAs. A no. of functional assays were used to identify the functionally important intracellular domains of the receptors.

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Helicobacter pylori-induced expression of TITLE:

interleukin-8 and cyclooxygenase-2 in

AGS gastric epithelial cells: Mediation by nuclear

factor-kappa B

Kim H; Lim J W; Kim K H (Reprint) AUTHOR:

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Background: Helicobacter pylori infection might activate nuclear AΒ factor-kappaB (NF-kappaB), a transcriptional regulator of inducible expression of inflammatory genes, interleukin-8 (

IL-8) and cyclooxygenase-2 (COX-2). We studied the role

of NF-MB on expression of IL-8 and COX-2 in H,

pylori-stimulated AGS gastric epithelial cells by using antisense

oligonucleotide: (AS ODN) for NF-kappaB subunit p50 and an antioxidant. glutathione (GSH) as well as a NF-kappaB inhibitor, pyrrolidine

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GSH or PDTC in the presence of H. pylori. mRNA expression and protein

levels for IL-8 and COX-2 were determined by Northern

blot analysis and Western blot analysis. Levels of IL-8

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for IL-8 and COX-2 via activation of NF-kappaB and increased the levels of IL-8. 6-keto-PGF(1 alpha), and

TXB2. which were inhibited by GSH and PDTC. H, pylori-induced expression

of IL-8 and COX-2 was blocked in AGS cells transfected with p50 AS ODN. Conclusion: NF-h B may play a novel role in expression of IL-8 and COX-2 in H. pylori-induced gastric inflammation.

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Nuclear factor-kappa B regulates cyclooxygenase-2 TITLE:

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ABSTRACT IS AVAILABLE IN THE ALL AND IALL FORMATS Nuclear factor-kappaB (NF-kappaB) is a transcriptional regulator of AΒ inducible expression of genes including cyclooxygenase-2 (COX-2), regulating cell proliferation. NF-kappaB is kept silent in the cytoplasm via interaction with the inhibitory protein I kappaB alpha and transmigrated into the nucleus upon activation. However, constitutive NF-kappaB has been found in the nucleus of some cancer cells. We investigated the role of NF-kappaB in COX-2 expression and cell proliferation in human gastric cancer AGS cells. AGS cells were treated with antisense oligodeoxynucleotide (AS ODN) or sense oligodeoxynucleotide (S ODN) for the NF-kappaB subunit p50, or they were transfected with a mutated I kappaB alpha gene (MAD-3 mutant) or a control vector, pcDNA-3. AGS cells were treated with COX-2 inhibitors such as indomethacine and NS-398 or prostaglandin E-2. mRNA expression for COX-2, and protein levels for p50, I kappaB alpha, and COX-2 were determined by reverse transcription polymerase chain reaction and Western blot analysis. The NF-kappaB levels were examined by electrophoretic mobility shift assay. Thromboxane B-2 (TXB2) and 6-keto-prostaglandin F-1 alpha (6-keto-PGF(1 alpha)) levels were determined by enzyme-linked immunosorbent assay. Cell proliferation was assessed by viable cell counting, [H-3] thymidine incorporation, and colony formation. The nuclear level of p50 decreased in AGS cells treated with AS ODN. The I kappaB alpha mutant was observed in cells transfected with the mutated I kappaB alpha gene. NF-kappaB was inhibited in cells treated with AS ODN or transfected with the mutated I kappaB alpha gene, compared with the cells treated with S ODN or transfected with control vector. Cell proliferation, mRNA expression and protein level of COX-2, and production of TXB2 and 6-keto-PGF(1 alpha) were inhibited in cells treated with AS ODN or transfected with the mutated I kappaB alpha gene, which had lower NF-kappaB levels than cells treated with S ODN or transfected with control vector. COX-2 inhibitors suppressed cell proliferation and production of TXB2 and 6-keto-PGF(1 alpha), in a dose-dependant manner. Prostaglandin E, prevented the inhibition of proliferation in cells treated with AS ODN or transfected with the mutated I kappaB alpha gene. In conclusion, NF-kappaB mediates COX-2 expression, which may be related to cell proliferation, in human gastric cancer cells.

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Respiratory syncytial virus (RSV) infection induced programmed cell death or apoptosis in the cultured lung epithelial cell line, A549. The apoptotic cells underwent multiple changes, including fragmentation and degradation of genomic DNA, consistent with the activation of the DNA fragmentation factor or caspase-activated DNase (DFF or CAD). The infection led to activation of FasL; however, a transdominant mutant of FAS-downstream death domain protein, FADD, did not inhibit apoptosis. Similarly, modest activation of cytoplasmic apoptotic caspases, caspase-3 and -8, were observed; however, only a specific inhibitor of caspases-3 inhibited apoptosis, while an inhibitor of caspase-8 had little effect. No activation of caspase-9 and -10, indicators of the mitochondrial apoptotic pathway, was observed. In contrast, RSV infection strongly activated caspase-12, an endoplasmic reticulum (ER) stress response caspase. Activation of the ER stress response was further evidenced by upregulation of ER chaperones BiP and calnexin. Antisense-mediated inhibition of caspase-12 inhibited apoptosis. Inhibitors of NF-kappa B had no effect on apoptosis. Thus, RSV-induced apoptosis appears to occur through an ER stress response that activates caspase-12, and is uncoupled from NF-kappa B activation. (C) 2001 Wiley-Liss, Inc.

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Airway epithelial cells can respond to infection by activating several AΒ signaling pathways. We examined the induction of apoptosis in response to Pseudomonas aeruginosa PAO1 in normal cells and several cystic fibrosis (CF) and corrected cell lines. Epithelial cells in monolayers with tight junctions, confirmed by apical ZO-1 staining demonstrated by confocal microscopy, were entirely resistant to PAO1-induced apoptosis. In contrast, cell lines such as 9HTEo(-) cells that do not form tight junctions were susceptible, with 50% of the population apoptotic after 6 h of exposure to PAO1, CF transmembrane conductance regulator (CFTR) dysfunction caused by different mechanisms (trafficking mutations, overexpression of the regulatory domain or antisense constructs) did not alter rates of apoptosis, nor were differences apparent in terminal deoxyribonucleotidyl transferase-mediated deoxyuridine triphosphate-biotin nick-end labeling detection of apoptotic airway cells from PAO1 infected cftr -/- or control mice. Bacterial expression of specific adhesins, complete lipopolysaccharide, and a functional type III secretion system were all necessary to evoke apoptosis even in susceptible epithelial cells. Unlike other mucosal surfaces, the airway epithelium is highly resistant to apoptosis, and this response is activated only when the appropriate epithelial conditions are present as well as fully virulent P. aeruginosa capable of coordinately expressing both adhesins and cytotoxins.

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Entamoeba histolytica cysteine proteinases with

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ABSTRACT IS AVAILABLE IN THE ALL AND IALL FORMATS The protozoan parasite Entamoeba histolytica causes intestinal AΒ inflammation and ulceration. Amoebic trophozoites activate the transcription factor NF-kappa B in human intestinal epithelial cells, initiating an inflammatory response programme with resultant damage to the intestinal tissue. Amoebic cysteine proteinases have been proposed as important virulence factors for amoebiasis. To test the role of amoebic cysteine proteinases in the pathogenesis of amoebic colitis, human intestinal xenografts in SCID mice were infected with E. histolytica trophozoites expressing an antisense message to ehcp5. The cysteine proteinase-deficient amoeba failed to induce intestinal epithelial cell production of the inflammatory cytokines interleukin

(IL)-1B and IL-8, and caused significantly less gut inflammation and damage to the intestinal permeability barrier. The critical role of amoebic cysteine proteinases in human gut inflammation and tissue damage may be explained by our discovery that amoebic cysteine proteinases possess IL-1B converting enzyme (ICE) activity. This ICE activity could contribute to intestinal inflammation by activating human pIL-1B released by damaged intestinal cells. These results demonstrate for the first time that amoebic cysteine proteinases are a key virulence factor in amoebic colitis, and provide a novel mechanism for their activity.

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AB Background. Vascular endothelial growth factor (VEGF) is a potent paracrine angiogenic factor involved in angiogenesis. We determined whether antisense VEGF transfection can suppress angiogenic activity of a human squamous cell carcinoma of the head and neck (SCCHN) cell line.

Methods. Human SCCHN cell lines were screened for VEGF secretion by ELISA. The highest VEGF secreting cell line was transfected with an antisense VEGF vector. Endothelial cell migration assays were performed using the conditioned medium from the transfected clones. Tumorigenicity assays of the transfectants in nude mice were also performed.

Results. Antisense VEGF expression exhibited a 20-fold inhibition of VEGF secretion. The addition of conditioned medium from the antisense clones resulted in 50% reduction of endothelial migration. There was no effect on in vivo tumorigenicity.

Conclusions. Antisense VEGF transfection effectively downregulated VEGF secretion from SCCHN cells that had high VEGF secretion. Targeting VEGF expression may be useful for suppressing angiogenesis in head and neck cancer. (C) 2000 John Wiley & Sons, Inc.

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Background-The complement system is implicated in the pathogenesis of AR atherosclerosis. Complement has been shown to activate endothelial cells (ECs) by inducing a proinflammatory response. Physiological levels of shear stress exert potent antiatherosclerotic effects. Therefore, we investigated whether shear stress antagonizes the effects of complement on ECs.

Methods and Results-Incubation of ECs with nonlytic concentrations of complement serum (CS: 0.2 U/mL for 6 hours) resulted in an upregulation of interleukin-8 (IL-8) (165+/-12%) and monocyte chemoattractant protein-1 (MCP-I) mRNA expression (267+/-34%). Preexposure of ECs for 18 hours with laminar shear stress (15 dyne/cm(2)) abrogated CS-induced IL-8 release to 106+/-10% (P<0.001) and reduced CS-induced MCP-1 expression (170+/-31%; P<0.05). To examine the mechanism of the protective effect of shear stress, expression of the complement-inhibitory protein clusterin was analyzed under shear exposure. Shear stress increased clusterin mRNA (225+/-76%, 6 hours) and protein expression (164+/-22%, 18 hours), Specific inhibition of clusterin by transfection with antisense oligonucleotides reversed the protective effect of shear stress on CS-induced MCP-1 and IL-8 upregulation (P<0.05 versus sense-transfected</pre> cells). Moreover, clusterin overexpression inhibited CS-induced EC activation.

Conclusions-Shear stress abrogates the complement-induced proinflammatory response of ECs by upregulation of the complement-inhibitory protein clusterin, upregulation of clusterin may contribute to the potent antiatherosclerotic effects of shear stress by preventing endothelial activation through the complement cascade.